

Ninth update of the 2011 Helicopter Monitoring Program

Floatables:

The New York/New Jersey Harbor Complex was monitored for floatables six times from July 23 - 29. The Harbor was clear of significant floatables on July 23, 25, 27, and 28.

On July 26, two slicks each approximately 400 yards long by 10 yards wide, were reported in the Kill Van Kull. A slick, approximately 1200 yards long by 20 yards wide was reported in the Upper Harbor.

On July 29, a slick, approximately 800 yards long by 20 yards wide was reported in the Hudson River. A slick, approximately 400 yards long by 15 yards wide was reported in the Upper Harbor.

All floatable debris slick consisted of wood, plastic and paper, were reported to the Army Corps of Engineers, and cleanup was conducted as necessary.